



APPLICATION FOR RECORDS RETENTION SCHEDULE

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES AND HISTORY
RECORDS MANAGEMENT DIVISION

INSTRUCTIONS: See Publication No. 76--RM--1 for instructions on completing this form. Forward signed original to Department of Archives and History, Records Management Division, 330 Capitol Avenue, Atlanta, Georgia, 30334, Attention: Scheduling Section.

FOR AGENCY USE		FOR RECORDS MANAGEMENT USE	
Application Date	1. Agency Address Department of Education Office of Vocational Education Division of Program Development Research Coordinating Unit Atlanta, Georgia 30334	Application Number 81-105	
Application Number		Date Received FEB 5 1981	Date Completed FEB 11 1981
2. Person to Contact Robert K. Mabry		Working Title RCU Coordinator/Vocational Evaluator Coordinator	Telephone Number 656-2547
3. Action Requested a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Establish Retention Schedule; record will continue to accumulate. b. <input type="checkbox"/> Dispose of present accumulation; no further accumulation anticipated. c. <input type="checkbox"/> Amend Application No. _____ Check One: <input type="checkbox"/> Change; <input type="checkbox"/> Supersede; <input type="checkbox"/> Void			
4. Dates of Series Earliest 1960's Latest To Date		5. Records Series Title (followed by title used in office; if different) RCU (Research Coordinating Unit) Project Documentation Files	
6. Division and Office Function What is the function of the Division and the Office in which this record series is created? The Vocational Evaluation Coordinator/RCU (Research Coordinating Unit) Coordinator is responsible for planning, developing, organizing, and directing the Statewide system for evaluating every vocational program, service, or activity in the State at least once every five (5) years. This position is also responsible for the operation of the Research Coordinating Unit, which conducts or contracts for all vocational applied research, exemplary and innovative programs, and curriculum development and dissemination in the State.			
7. Record Series Description This file contains the following documents (include form numbers and titles, if any): Attach samples of the file. Documents relating to: Documenting research, curriculum development, and innovative and exemplary projects. Included are: RFP (Request for Proposal) containing research data on current state-of-the-art, assessment of needs, project objectives, etc; copy of winning proposal (accepted bid); copy of project Abstract sent to federal government which includes project number, funding data, and impact, procedures, and objectives data; and copy of final report or product. File is arranged: Numerically by project number.			
8. Monthly Reference Rate How often are records referred to which are: One to six months old <u>0</u> ; Seven to twelve months old <u>0</u> ; Thirteen to twenty-four months old <u>0</u> ; twenty-five months and older <u>0</u> ?			
9. Annual Rate of Accumulation of Records Letter-size drawers <u>3</u> ; Legal-size drawers _____; Shelves _____; Other (specify) _____			

YES	NO	10. Questionnaire (Place an "X" in the proper column)
X		a. Is this the official copy of the series? If not, where is it?
	X	b. Does the series contain confidential information requiring security handling? If yes, cite law or regulation.
	X	c. Is this a vital record?
X		d. Does this series have historical or long term research value?
N/A		e. When one or two documents in the file make it necessary to keep the entire file for a long period, could these documents be scheduled separately?
X		f. Is the information contained in this series ever published? If yes, attach copy. Curriculum materials
X		g. Is the information contained in this series ever analyzed and/or recorded in a summarized report? If yes, attach copy. Annual State Plan and Accountability Report
X		h. Is there a duplication of this series in your office, or in another office or agency? Abstract sent to Federal If yes, where? Government; Abstract and Final Report/Product to National Center for
	X	i. Is this series (or a major portion of it) regularly microfilmed? Research in Vocational Education, Ohio
X		j. Does the record series result in a computer printout? List of Projects. State Uni.

11. Retention Requirements

The following requires the series to be kept:

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| a. State Law | _____ years. | d. Audit period | _____ years. |
| b. Statute of limitation | _____ years. | e. Administrative need | _____ years. |
| c. Federal law | _____ years. | f. Federal retention instructions | 5 _____ years. |

Attach copy or excerpt of laws or regulations. Explain administrative need.

Files subject to federal MERC-Q Review (Management Education Criterion-Quality) conducted every five (5) years.

12. Approved Disposition Instructions

This agency recommends that the file series be cut off at the end of each:

☐ Calendar Year; ☒ Fiscal Year; ☐ Other _____ then,

- ☐ Hold in the current files area _____ month(s) _____ year(s); then
- ☐ Transfer to local holding area; hold _____ year(s); then
- ☐ Transfer to State Records Center; hold _____ year(s); then
- ☐ Destroy.
- ☒ Transfer to State Archives for permanent retention.
- ☐ Other (Specify)

These instructions apply to all prior and future accumulations of the series.

Agency Head/Designee (Signature)	Date	Records Management Officer (Signature)	Date
<i>[Signature]</i>	2/4/81	Walker L. Baumgardner	4/4/81
State Records Committee (Signature) _____ Date _____			
State Auditor/Designee	<i>[Signature]</i>		2-10-81
Secretary of State/Designee	<i>[Signature]</i>		2-9-81
Attorney General/Designee	<i>[Signature]</i>		2-10-81

Recommendations in paragraph 12 are approved.
(If disapproved, attach letter of explanation.)